WORDPLAY

Lyrics Gap Fill (Present Tense Verbs)

Beginner Level ★



"TI Further Notice" Seth Glier



Before class: Print enough lyrics gap-fill sheets for each student.

- 1. Give each student their own lyrics gap-fill sheet.
- 2. Ask them to take 1-2 minutes to look at the song lyrics before listening. Play the song and ask students to fill in the missing *present tense verbs*. Play the song a second time to complete the worksheet.
- 3. Put students into groups of 2-3 to check answers.
- 4. Project the lyrics gap-fill sheet on the board, and ask students to come to the board to fill in the missing words, or complete write the numbers on the board and ask students to write the answers for each number.

This activity can be easily replicated online. Put students into breakout rooms to check their answers in small groups, and ask students to write their answer for each number in the chat box, or by saying the word aloud.

Answer Key

- 1. feel
- 2. look
- 3. take
- 4. qo
- 5. flies
- 6. is
- 7. keep
- 8. feel



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Last night the tears	
Were more than just fear	
The news hit way too close to home	
Talking to friends	
About when this will end	
The truth is that none of us know	
I 1 paralyzed	
Been staying inside	
Keeping the wick of hope lit	
'Til further notice	
'Til further notice	
New rhythms no rhyme	
Still, I'm resigned	
To 2for the gift I've bee	n given
To finish that book	3
To 3 a good look	
At the pace of the life I've been living	
All of humanity's	
Searching for sanity	
Figuring out how to 4 thr	ough this
'Til further notice	
Our finest hour is within our power	
If we're willing to do a little learnin'	
If there's an angel that 5	from Montgomery
Send us a song as a sermon	
Some waiting on checks	
That some won't ever get	
Floating can feel just like drowning	
But there's still stars in the sky	
Love 6 in good supply	
In a way, we're already rebounding	
So I'll 7 trying	
Laughing and crying	
Even when I 8 a bit brok	en
I'll be keeping the wick of hope lit	
'Til further notice	
'Til further notice	AMERICAN

